

# Attention Science Teachers:

## How could you improve your science class with \$2,000?

Would you purchase innovative instruction tools? Improve your science lab? Take a special field trip for hands-on learning?

**Take your science class to the next level by using your coastal environment as a valuable teaching resource.**

The **Donna Bates Award** is a competitive grant dedicated to improving coastal and environmental science instruction in public schools serving the Coastal Zone of South Carolina comprised of Jasper, Beaufort, Colleton, Charleston, Dorchester, Berkeley, Georgetown and Horry counties.

## Apply Today - It's Easy!

To learn more and to download an application form, visit  
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An award of up to \$2,000 will be presented to the public school(s) with the best proposal that improves the educational opportunities of the school's students and raises awareness of coastal science and the environment.

**Deadline for application is November 1, 2008. The grant will be awarded in January 2009.**

The award is sponsored by the South Carolina Department of Health and Environmental Control, Office of Ocean and Coastal Resource Management (OCRM), in partnership with the Center for Ocean Sciences Education Excellence (COSEE SouthEast).



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